(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (**SHRI** CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO): (a) and (b) The Government of Jammu and Kashmir have submitted and recently endorsed the recommendations of the State Autonomy Committee, which had been constituted by the State Government. The Report basically speaks of going back to pre-1953 status. The matter is under examination.

Indo-Bangladesh Border Posts

2197 SHRI KHAGEN DAS: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many border posts are set up in Indo-Bangladesh border to keep a round the clock vigil on smugglers and infiltrators;

(b) the distance between these posts; and

(c) whether it is felt necessary to set up more border posts to reduce the distance so that infiltration may be prevented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI): (a) There are 714 Border Security Force, Border Outposts (BOPs) located on the Indo-Bangladesh border.

(b)The frontierwise average distance between BOPs is as follows:—

South Bengal	5.2 kms
North Bengal	5.9 kms
Assam, Meghalaya, Manipur and Nagaland (AMM&N)	5.1 kms
Tripura, Cachar & Mizoram	6.1 kms

(c) Yes, Sir.

Electronic and Consumer items for ISI agents

2198. DR. MOHAN BABU: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether several cases Of ISI sending various electronic and other consumer items to its agents in different parts of India have come to the notice of Government;

(b) if so, the details of such cases during the last two years; and